



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re the Application of: **Hisatoshi HIROTA**

Group Art Unit: **3744**

Application Number: **10/604,847**

Examiner: **Harry B. Tanner**

Filed: **August 21, 2003**

Confirmation Number: **1846**

For: **METHOD OF OPERATING A REFRIGERATION CYCLE**

Attorney Docket Number: **030934**
Customer Number: **38834**

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

August 19, 2005

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	SMALL ENTITY	OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
					RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE	RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE
Total (37 CFR 1.16(c))	14	Minus	20	= 0	X \$25		X\$50 .00	
Independent (37 CFR 1.16(b))	14	Minus	3	= 11				
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(d))								
					X \$100		X\$200 \$2,200.00	
					+ \$180		+ \$360 .00	
					TOTAL ADD'L FEE		TOTAL ADD'L FEE	\$2,200.00

X Enclosed please find our check in the amount of \$2,200.00 for the additional claims fee in connection with this Amendment.

X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment for any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCESSING REQUESTED

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This paper is filed in response to the Office Action dated May 19, 2005.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 16 of this paper.

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